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Applicant : Wen-Teng Wu et al.

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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated July 16, 2002, be extended for three months to and including January 16, 2003.

Enclosed is a check for \$465 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 08415-003001.

Respectfully submitted,

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